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Case 9223A

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE****RECEIVED  
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Application of: BRAZIER et al.  
Serial Number: 10 / 516,967  
Filed: August 1, 2005  
For: MAT  
Group Art Unit: 1771  
Examiner: Juska, Cheryl Ann

Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria VA 22313-1450

**AMENDMENT "B" AND RESPONSE**

Dear Sir:

This reply is in response to a Final Office Action dated January 7, 2008. This response is being filed within two months of the mailing of the Final Office Action.

Entry of the following amendments and remarks is courteously solicited in hopes of expediting grant of the above-referenced application.

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March 7, 2008